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In re Application of:

Baker *et al.*

Serial No. 09/944,884

Filing Date: August 31, 2001

For: NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING SECRETED  
POLYPEPTIDES THAT STIMULATE  
RELEASE OF PROTEOGLYCANS FROM  
CARTILAGE

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## REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP, PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.48(b)

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Dear Sir:

I, the undersigned, request that Kevin P. Baker, David Botstein, Dan L. Eaton, Napoleone Ferrara, Mary E. Gerritsen, Kenneth J. Hillan, Ivar J. Kijavin, Mary A. Napier, Margaret Ann Roy, and Daniel Tumas, named in the above-identified Patent

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Application, be deleted as these inventors' invention is no longer being claimed in the above identified Patent Application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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